

# LETTER OF INTENT

## FLOOD MITIGATION ASSISTANCE (FMA) GRANT PROGRAM

The purpose of this form is to establish your community's/agency's interest in the Flood Mitigation Assistance Grant Program and to identify projects that are a priority for your jurisdiction to reduce or eliminate future emergency or disaster costs.

### NAME & ADDRESS OF JURISDICTION:

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CONTACT PERSON: \_\_\_\_\_

PHONE: \_\_\_\_\_

### BASIS OF ELIGIBILITY:

State Government \_\_\_\_\_

Local Government \_\_\_\_\_

Special Purpose District \_\_\_\_\_

Private Non-Profit Organization \_\_\_\_\_

Other \_\_\_\_\_

Date of approval of your Town Hazard Mitigation Plan OR Flood Mitigation Plan \_\_\_\_\_

Is your community a member in good standing of the National Flood Insurance Program? \_\_\_\_\_

**PROJECT PROPOSED BY THE JURISDICTION:** Please include a brief project description and an identification of benefits (i.e. number of properties and people impacted). *If you need more space, please attach additional pages.*

Cost of Project: \_\_\_\_\_

Estimated Benefit: \_\_\_\_\_

*(This can include previous damages, future damages mitigated, property value)*

Life of Project: \_\_\_\_\_ years

Source of Local 25% share: \_\_\_\_\_

Please answer the following yes/no questions to determine if your project will be eligible for consideration for a Flood Mitigation Assistance Grant:

Does the Project?	Yes	No
1. Provide <u>cost-effective</u> protection over the expected project life;	_____	_____
2. Conform with federal and state environmental regulations;	_____	_____
3. Substantially reduce the risk of future damage, hardship or suffering from a hazard;	_____	_____
4. Contribute substantially to a long term solution;	_____	_____
5. Have manageable future maintenance requirements;	_____	_____
6. Reflect the most practical, effective, and environmentally sound solution from among all alternatives considered;	_____	_____
7. Address a problem that is repetitive or that poses a significant risk if left unsolved; and	_____	_____
8. Protect properties insured under the National Flood Insurance Program?	_____	_____

If you have answered **NO** to any of the above questions, your project may not be eligible for a Flood Mitigation Assistance Grant. *Please contact Sandrine Thibault at 603-271-2155 for additional guidance.*

Is this project listed as a priority in your Hazard Mitigation Plan? \_\_\_\_\_

Does this project protect repetitive loss properties in your town? \_\_\_\_\_

**Please Return this Form by Friday, January 13, 2006 to:**

NH Office of Energy and Planning  
57 Regional Drive, Suite 3  
Concord, NH 03301  
Attn: Sandrine Thibault

**or fax it to:** 603-271-2615 to the attention of Sandrine Thibault.

***This is not an application!*** You will be contacted and sent application information at a later date. If you have any questions, please contact Sandrine Thibault at (603) 271-2155.

You will be contacted regarding the status of your pre-application by January 27, 2006. Formal applications for FMA projects require significant time and efforts to prepare so this pre-application process is an attempt to sort out those projects which are likely to be funded. For further information call Sandrine Thibault at (603) 271-2155.